

Exhibit A

SUM-100

SUMMONS (CITACION JUDICIAL)

FOR COURT USE ONLY
(SOLO PARA USO DE LA CORTE)**NOTICE TO DEFENDANT:****(AVISO AL DEMANDADO):**

AON RISK SERVICES COMPANIES, INC., a Maryland corporation

YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF:**(LO ESTÁ DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE):**

DEREK WHIPPLE, an individual

NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information below.

You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case. ¡AVISO! Lo han demandado. Si no responde dentro de 30 días, la corte puede decidir en su contra sin escuchar su versión. Lea la información a continuación.

Tiene 30 DÍAS DE CALENDARIO después de que le entreguen esta citación y papeles legales para presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede más cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podrá quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia.

Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en el sitio web de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.sucorte.ca.gov) o poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales. AVISO: Por ley, la corte tiene derecho a reclamar las cuotas y los costos exentos por imponer un gravamen sobre cualquier recuperación de \$10,000 ó más de valor recibida mediante un acuerdo o una concesión de arbitraje en un caso de derecho civil. Tiene que pagar el gravamen de la corte antes de que la corte pueda desechar el caso.

The name and address of the court is:

(El nombre y dirección de la corte es): San Francisco Superior Court
400 McAllister Street, San Francisco, CDA 94102

CASE NUMBER: (Número del Caso):

CGC-21-588920

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The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):

Morgan, Lewis & Bockius, Debra L. Fischer, 2049 Century Park East, Suite 700, Los Angeles, CA 90067; (310) 907-1000

DATE:

(Fecha) **01/20/2021**

Clerk, by

(Secretario) **ERNALYN BURA**

, Deputy

(Adjunto)

(For proof of service of this summons, use Proof of Service of Summons (form POS-010).)

(Para prueba de entrega de esta citación use el formulario Proof of Service of Summons, (POS-010).)

**NOTICE TO THE PERSON SERVED:** You are served

1. as an individual defendant.
2. as the person sued under the fictitious name of (specify):
under: CCP 416.10 (corporation) CCP 416.60 (minor)
 CCP 416.20 (defunct corporation) CCP 416.70 (conservatee)
 CCP 416.40 (association or partnership) CCP 416.90 (authorized person)
 other (specify):
3. on behalf of (specify):
under: CCP 416.10 (corporation) CCP 416.60 (minor)
 CCP 416.20 (defunct corporation) CCP 416.70 (conservatee)
 CCP 416.40 (association or partnership) CCP 416.90 (authorized person)
 other (specify):
4. by personal delivery on (date)

SHORT TITLE: Derek Whipplev. AON Risk Services Companies, Inc.	CASE NUMBER: CGC-21-588920
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INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

- This form may be used as an attachment to any summons if space does not permit the listing of all parties on the summons.
- If this attachment is used, insert the following statement in the plaintiff or defendant box on the summons: "Additional Parties Attachment form is attached."

List additional parties (Check only one box. Use a separate page for each type of party.):

Plaintiff Defendant Cross-Complainant Cross-Defendant

AON RISK INSURANCE SERVICES WEST, INC., a California corporation;
 AON PLC, an Irish public limited company;
 AON GROUP, INC., a Maryland corporation; and
 DOES 1 through 50, inclusive

<p>ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY (Name, State Bar number, and address) Jeffrey Arrington, Esq SBN: Bar No. 139435 MORGAN, LEWIS & BOCKIUS LLP 2049 Century Park East, Suite 700 Los Angeles, CA 90067 TELEPHONE NO.: (310) 907-1000 FAX NO. (310) 907-1001 E-MAIL ADDRESS jeffrey.arrington@morganlewis.com ATTORNEY FOR (Name): Plaintiff: Derek Whipple</p>	<p>FOR COURT USE ONLY</p>
<p>SAN FRANCISCO SUPERIOR COURT STREET ADDRESS: 400 MC ALLISTER ST. 1ST FLOOR CITY AND ZIP CODE: SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94102 BRANCH NAME: CIVIL DIVISION</p>	
<p>PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: DEREK WHIPPLE, an individual DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: AON RISK SERVICES COMPANIES, INC., a Maryland corporation et al.</p>	<p>ELECTRONICALLY FILED <i>Superior Court of California, County of San Francisco</i></p> <p>01/25/2021 Clerk of the Court BY: YOLANDA TABO-RAMIREZ Deputy Clerk CGC-21-588920</p>
<p>PROOF OF SERVICE OF SUMMONS</p>	

(Separate proof of service is required for each party served.)

1. At the time of service I was at least 18 years of age and not a party to this action.

2. I served copies of:

- a. Summons
- b. Complaint
- c. Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) package
- d. Civil Case Cover Sheet
- e. Cross-Complaint
- f. other (specify documents): Notice to Plaintiff; and San Francisco County Superior Court Alternative Dispute Resolution Information Package.

3. a. Party served (specify name of party as shown on documents served):

AON GROUP, INC., a Maryland Corporation

- b. Person (other than the party in item 3a) served on behalf of an entity or as an authorized agent (and not a person under item 5b on whom substituted service was made) (specify name and relationship to the party named in item 3a):

The Prentice-Hall Corporation System, Agent for Service of Process - by leaving the documents with "Jane Doe" The Prentice-Hall Corporation System Clerk / Authorized to accept service of process thereof

Age: 45 | Weight: 180 | Hair: Red | Sex: Female | Height: 5'5" | Eyes: | Race: Caucasian

4. Address where the party was served: 7 St. Paul Street, # ste.820

Baltimore, MD 21202

5. I served the party (check proper box)

- a. by personal service. I personally delivered the documents listed in item 2 to the party or person authorized to receive service of process for the party (1) on (date): 1/22/2021 (2) at (time): 12:00 PM

- b. by substituted service. On (date): at (time): I left the documents listed in item 2 with or in the presence of (name and title or relationship to person indicated in item 3b):

- (1) (business) a person at least 18 years of age apparently in charge at the office or usual place of business of the person to be served. I informed him of her of the general nature of the papers.
- (2) (home) a competent member of the household (at least 18 years of age) at the dwelling house or usual place of abode of the party. I informed him or her of the general nature of the papers.
- (3) (physical address unknown) a person at least 18 years of age apparently in charge at the usual mailing address of the person to be served, other than a United States Postal Service post office box. I informed him of her of the general nature of the papers.
- (4) I thereafter mailed (by first-class, postage prepaid) copies of the documents to the person to be served at the place where the copies were left (Code Civ. Proc., §415.20). I mailed the documents on (date): from (city): or a declaration of mailing is attached.
- (5) I attach a declaration of diligence stating actions taken first to attempt personal service.

PETITIONER: DEREK WHIPPLE, an individual	CASE NUMBER: CGC-21-588920
RESPONDENT: AON RISK SERVICES COMPANIES, INC., a Maryland corporation; et al.	

c. by mail and acknowledgment of receipt of service. I mailed the documents listed in item 2 to the party, to the address shown in item 4, by first-class mail, postage prepaid,

(1) on (date): (2) from (city):

(3) with two copies of the *Notice and Acknowledgment of Receipt* and a postage-paid return envelope addressed to me.
(Attach completed Notice and Acknowledgement of Receipt.) (Code Civ. Proc., § 415.30.)

(4) to an address outside California with return receipt requested. (Code Civ. Proc., § 415.40.)

d. by other means (specify means of service and authorizing code section):

Additional page describing service is attached.

6. The "Notice to the Person Served" (on the summons) was completed as follows:

a. as an individual defendant.

b. as the person sued under the fictitious name of (specify):

c. as occupant.

d. On behalf of AON GROUP, INC., a Maryland Corporation
under the following Code of Civil Procedure section:

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 416.10 (corporation) | <input type="checkbox"/> 415.95 (business organization, form unknown) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 416.20 (defunct corporation) | <input type="checkbox"/> 416.60 (minor) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 416.30 (joint stock company/association) | <input type="checkbox"/> 416.70 (ward or conservatee) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 416.40 (association or partnership) | <input type="checkbox"/> 416.90 (authorized person) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 416.50 (public entity) | <input type="checkbox"/> 415.46 (occupant) |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> other: |

7. Person who served papers

a. Name: Jeffrey Levy - Nationwide Legal, LLC REG: 12-234648

b. Address: 1609 James M Wood Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90015

c. Telephone number: (213) 249-9999

d. The fee for service was: \$ 209.00

e. I am:

- (1) not a registered California process server.
(2) exempt from registration under Business and Professions Code section 22350(b).
(3) registered California process server:
(i) owner employee independent contractor.
(ii) Registration No.:
(iii) County:

8. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

or

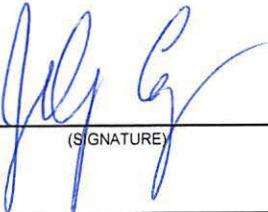
9. I am a California sheriff or marshal and I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: 1/22/2021

Nationwide Legal, LLC
1609 James M Wood Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90015
(213) 249-9999
www.nationwideasap.com

Jeffrey Levy
(NAME OF PERSON WHO SERVED PAPERS/SHERIFF OR MARSHAL)

(SIGNATURE)



Jeffrey Arrington, Esq | SBN: Bar No. 139435

MORGAN, LEWIS & BOCKIUS LLP

2049 Century Park East, Suite 700 Los Angeles, CA 90067

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ATTORNEY FOR (Name): Plaintiff:

SAN FRANCISCO SUPERIOR COURT

STREET ADDRESS: 400 MC ALLISTER ST. 1ST FLOOR

CITY AND ZIP CODE: SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94102

BRANCH NAME: CIVIL DIVISION

ELECTRONICALLY**FILED***Superior Court of California,
County of San Francisco***01/25/2021****Clerk of the Court****BY: YOLANDA TABO-RAMIREZ**

Deputy Clerk

PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: DEREK WHIPPLE, an individual

DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: AON RISK SERVICES COMPANIES, INC., etc., et al.

CASE NUMBER:

CGC-21-588920

PROOF OF SERVICE OF SUMMONSRef. No. or File No.:
111118-0003 (Whipple/Aon)

(Separate proof of service is required for each party served.)

1. At the time of service I was at least 18 years of age and not a party to this action.

2. I served copies of:

- a. Summons
- b. Complaint
- c. Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) package
- d. Civil Case Cover Sheet
- e. Cross-Complaint
- f. other (specify documents): **Notice to Plaintiff re Case Management Conference**

3. a. Party served (specify name of party as shown on documents served):

Aon Risk Insurance Services West, Inc.b. Person (other than the party in item 3a) served on behalf of an entity or as an authorized agent (and not a person under item 5b on whom substituted service was made) (specify name and relationship to the party named in item 3a):**CSC Lawyers Incorporating Service, Registered Agent, by Serving Trudy Desbiens - Authorized Agent**

Age: 46-50 | Weight: 141-160 Lbs | Hair: Black | Sex: Female | Height: 5'7 - 6'0 | Eyes: Brown | Race: Latino

4. Address where the party was served: **2710 Gateway Oaks Drive, # Suite 150N
Sacramento, CA 95833**

5. I served the party (check proper box)

a. **by personal service.** I personally delivered the documents listed in item 2 to the party or person authorized to receive service of process for the party (1) on (date): **1/22/2021** (2) at (time): **9:53 AM**b. **by substituted service.** On (date): at (time): I left the documents listed in item 2 with or in the presence of (name and title or relationship to person indicated in item 3b):

- (1) **(business)** a person at least 18 years of age apparently in charge at the office or usual place of business of the person to be served. I informed him of her of the general nature of the papers.
- (2) **(home)** a competent member of the household (at least 18 years of age) at the dwelling house or usual place of abode of the party. I informed him or her of the general nature of the papers.
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- (4) I thereafter mailed (by first-class, postage prepaid) copies of the documents to the person to be served at the place where the copies were left (Code Civ. Proc., §415.20). I mailed the documents on (date): from (city): **or** a declaration of mailing is attached.
- (5) I attach a **declaration of diligence** stating actions taken first to attempt personal service.

RESPONDENT: AON RISK SERVICES COMPANIES, INC., etc., et al.

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c. **by mail and acknowledgment of receipt of service.** I mailed the documents listed in item 2 to the party, to the address shown in item 4, by first-class mail, postage prepaid,

(1) on (date): (2) from (city):

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d. **by other means** (specify means of service and authorizing code section):

Additional page describing service is attached.

6. The "Notice to the Person Served" (on the summons) was completed as follows:

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c. as occupant.

d. On behalf of **Aon Risk Insurance Services West, Inc.**

under the following Code of Civil Procedure section:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 416.50 (public entity) | <input type="checkbox"/> 415.46 (occupant) |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> other: |

7. Person who served papers

a. Name: **Alejandro Rubio - Nationwide Legal, LLC REG: 12-234648**

b. Address: **1609 James M Wood Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90015**

c. Telephone number: **(213) 249-9999**

d. The fee for service was: **\$ 244.95**

e. I am:

- (1) not a registered California process server.
 (2) exempt from registration under Business and Professions Code section 22350(b).
 (3) registered California process server:
 (i) owner employee independent contractor.
 (ii) Registration No.: **2017-40**
 (iii) County: **Sacramento**

8. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

or

9. I am a California sheriff or marshal and I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: **1/22/2021**

N **Nationwide Legal, LLC**
1609 James M Wood Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90015
(213) 249-9999
www.nationwideasap.com

Alejandro Rubio

(NAME OF PERSON WHO SERVED PAPERS/SHERIFF OR MARSHAL)

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY (Name, State Bar number, and address)

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CASE NUMBER:

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- b. Person (other than the party in item 3a) served on behalf of an entity or as an authorized agent (and not a person under item 5b on whom substituted service was made) (specify name and relationship to the party named in item 3a):

**The Prentice-Hall Corporation System, Agent for Service of Process - by leaving the documents with
"Jane Doe" The Prentice-Hall Corporation System Clerk / Authorized to accept service of process thereof**

Age: 45 | Weight: 180 | Hair: Red | Sex: Female | Height: 5'5" | Eyes: | Race: Caucasian

4. Address where the party was served: **7 St. Paul Street, # Suite 820
Baltimore, MD 21202**

5. I served the party (check proper box)

- a. by personal service. I personally delivered the documents listed in item 2 to the party or person authorized to receive service of process for the party (1) on (date): 1/22/2021 (2) at (time): 12:00 PM
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PETITIONER: DEREK WHIPPLE, an individual

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RESPONDENT: AON RISK SERVICES COMPANIES, INC., a Maryland corporation

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(2) from (city):

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b. as the person sued under the fictitious name of (specify):

c. as occupant.

d. On behalf of **AON RISK SERVICES COMPANIES, INC., a Maryland Corporation**

under the following Code of Civil Procedure section:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 416.50 (public entity) | <input type="checkbox"/> 415.46 (occupant) |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> other: |

7. Person who served papers

a. Name: Jeffrey Levy - Nationwide Legal, LLC REG: 12-234648

b. Address: 1609 James M Wood Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90015

c. Telephone number: (213) 249-9999

d. The fee for service was: \$ 404.00

e. I am:

- (1) not a registered California process server.
(2) exempt from registration under Business and Professions Code section 22350(b).
(3) registered California process server:
(i) owner employee independent contractor.
(ii) Registration No.:
(iii) County:

8. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.
or

9. I am a California sheriff or marshal and I certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: 1/22/2021

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Jeffrey Levy
(NAME OF PERSON WHO SERVED PAPERS/SHERIFF OR MARSHAL)

(SIGNATURE)